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Proposal for a regulation
Article 20 – paragraph 4

Text proposed by the Commission

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4. The Union reference laboratory shall test and validate the method of detection, identification and quantification proposed by the applicant in accordance with Article 19(2) ***or assess whether the information provided by*** the applicant justifies the application of adapted modalities to comply with detection method requirements ***referred to*** in that ***paragraph***.

4. The Union reference laboratory shall test and validate the method of detection, identification and quantification proposed by the applicant in accordance with Article 19(2). ***If*** the applicant justifies the application of adapted modalities to comply with detection method requirements, ***the Union reference laboratory shall carry out its own research and analyses to confirm the claimed unfeasibility***. In that ***case, the decision of the Union reference laboratory shall be motivated and be made public***.

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Article 32a

Penalties and withdrawal of the decision

Member States shall lay down the rules on penalties applicable in case of failure to disclose any information requested in the verification procedure or in the authorisation procedure. The competent authority may withdraw its decision.

The penalties provided for shall be effective, proportionate and dissuasive.

The withdrawal decision must be sent by registered letter to the beneficiary of the decision, who must be given 15 days to make observations. In that case, the marketing of the NGT plant or product is prohibited from the day following the date of receipt of the registered letter.

Member States shall notify the rules referred to in the first subparagraph to the Commission and the other Member States without delay. Any subsequent decision of penalties or withdrawal shall also be notified without delay.

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